

Abstract

Include Figure 1

5 The application is directed to a methods and apparatus for intelligent network
service provision, in particular in a wireless network. The method comprises the
steps of: storing network user status information at a first network element;
receiving at the first network element a message from a second network element,
said message associated with a change in network user status information;
10 updating said stored information; and providing services to said network user
dependant on said network user status information. This enables a network user
to receive the services to which he is entitled without interruption when the user's
identity code changes, for example when a SIM card is replaced. It further
enables efficient use of network resources by prevention of signalling to users
15 who are no longer entitled to receive certain services.